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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)	Docket No. 10441Z
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In Re Application Of: **Nicholas K. Hayward, et al.**

Serial No. 09/349,954	Filing Date July 8, 1999	Examiner C. Saoud	Group Art Unit 1647
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Invention: **A NOVEL GROWTH FACTOR AND A GENETIC SEQUENCE ENCODING SAME**

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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **October 4, 2000** in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

- ☐ One month ☐ Two months ☒ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: **January 4, 2001** until: **April 4, 2001**
Date *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$890** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. _____
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-1013/SSMP**
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Dated: **April 4, 2001**

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Signature

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